

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

EUGENE SCALIA, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:21-cv-00258-ER

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

Under Local Rule 5.1, I, Joseph J. Wardenski, respectfully move to withdraw my appearance as attorney for the State of New York in this matter because of my upcoming departure from the New York State Office of the Attorney General. The State of New York will continue to be represented in this matter by Fiona J. Kaye, who was admitted in this case as counsel *pro hac vice* on July 26, 2021.

DATED: July 27, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that, on this 27th day of July, 2021, the foregoing Motion for Leave to Withdraw as Counsel was filed with the Court and served electronically on all counsel of record using the Court's CM/ECF system.

/s/ Joseph J. Wardenski
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